

PATENT #3

IN THE UNITED STATES  
PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANTS: Arthur Anderson, David Huddart and Keith J. Derrick  
SERIAL NO.: 09/401,070  
FILING DATE: September 22, 1999  
TITLE: Accessory Interface Bus for Telephone Headset Adapter  
EXAMINER: Unknown  
GROUP ART UNIT: 2731  
ATTY. DKT. NO.: 3876

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**RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING  
PARTS OF APPLICATION**

SIR:

Responsive to Form PTO-1533 dated October 14, 1999 received in the above-identified patent application, enclosed are:

- ☒ a copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts;
- ☒ an original, signed Declaration;
- ☐ a signed Verified Statement

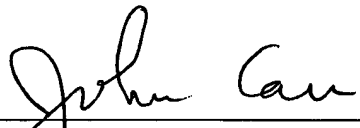
- ☐ Applicant respectfully submits that since this application was entitled to Small Entity Status when filed, as established with the enclosed original, signed, Verified Statement, the fee for filing as a large entity as indicated in the Notice to File Missing Parts is inappropriate

and that the filing fee submitted with this application as originally  
filed is sufficient to cover the filing fees for this application;

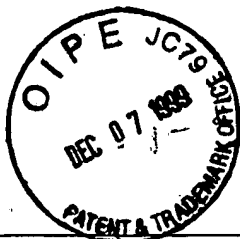
- ☒ payment in the amount of \$130.00 for the surcharge;
- ☒ Other: Check in the amount of \$2,524.00 to cover filing fees.

Respectfully submitted,  
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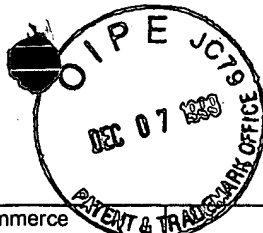
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<b>TRANSMITTAL FORM</b> (to be used for all correspondence during pendency of filed application)	0001/PTO Rev. 10/95	U.S. Department of Commerce Patent and Trademark Office	Application Number	09/401,070 ✓
			Filing Date	September 22, 1999 ✓
			First Named Inventor	Arthur Anderson ✓
			Group Art Unit Number	2731 ✓
			Examiner Name	Unknown ✓
Total Number of Pages in This Submission		9	Attorney Docket Number	3876 ✓

ENCLOSURES (check all that apply)	
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# FEE TRANSMITTAL

## TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT

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### METHOD OF PAYMENT

#### 1. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to:

- ☐ Charge the indicated fees to the below mentioned deposit account.
- ☒ Charge any additional fee required under 37 CFR 1.16 - 1.21 or credit any over payments to the below mentioned deposit account. <sup>†</sup>
- ☐ Charge the Issue Fee set in 37 CFR 1.18 at the Mailing of the Notice of Allowance, 37 CFR 1.311(b) to the below mentioned deposit account.

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A Duplicate Copy of this authorization is attached

2. ☒ Payment Enclosed:  
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### FEE CALCULATION (fees effective 11/12/98)

#### 1. FILING FEE

Large Entity Fee Code/Fee	Small Entity Fee Code/Fee	Fee Description	Fee Due
101/\$760	201/\$380	Utility Filing	<b>760</b>
106/\$310	206/\$155	Design Filing	
108/\$760	208/\$380	Reissue	
114/\$150	214/\$75	Provisional Filing	
SUBTOTAL (1)			<b>(\$ 760)</b>

#### 2. CLAIMS

Large Entity Fee Code/Fee	Small Entity Fee Code/Fee	Fee Description
103/\$18	203/\$9	Claims in excess of 20
102/\$78	202/\$39	Independent claims in excess of 3
104/\$260	204/\$130	Multiple dependent claim
109/\$78	209/\$39	Reissue independent claims over original patent
110/\$18	210/\$9	Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent

#### 3. ADDITIONAL FEES

Large Entity Fee Code/Fee	Small Entity Fee Code/Fee	Fee Description	Fee Due
105/\$130	205/\$65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	<b>130</b>
127/\$50	227/\$25	Surcharge-late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	
147/\$2,520	147/\$2,520	For filing a request for reexamination	
115/\$110	215/\$55	Extension for response within first month <sup>†</sup>	
116/\$380	216/\$190	Extension for response within second month <sup>†</sup>	
117/\$870	217/\$435	Extension for response within third month <sup>†</sup>	
118/\$1,360	218/\$680	Extension for response within fourth month <sup>†</sup>	
128/\$1,850	228/\$925	Extension for response within fifth month <sup>†</sup>	
119/\$300	219/\$150	Notice of Appeal	
141/\$1,210	241/\$605	Petition to revive unintentionally abandoned application	
142/\$1,210	242/\$605	Utility Issue Fee (Or Reissue)	
143/\$430	243/\$215	Design Issue Fee	
122/\$130	222/\$130	Petitions to the Commissioner	
123/\$50	223/\$50	Petitions related to provisional applications	
126/\$240	226/\$240	Submission of Information Disclosure Statement	
581/\$40	581/\$40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	
146/\$760	246/\$380	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR 1.129(a))	
149/\$760	249/\$380	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR 1.129(b))	
Other fee (specify):			
Other fee (specify):			
SUBTOTAL (3)			<b>(\$ 130)</b>

(Col. 1)		(Col. 2)		(Col. 3)		Fee Due	
For	No. of Existing Claims	Highest No. Previously Paid For		Extra**	Fee		
TOTAL	79	20 or	=	59	x 18	=	1062
INDEP	12	3 or	=	9	x 78	=	702
[ ] First presentation of multiple dependent claim							

\* Subtract the greater number of Col. 2  
\*\* If the difference between Col. 1 and Col. 2 is less than zero, then enter "0" in Col. 3

SUBTOTAL (2) **(\$ 1764)**

#### SUBMITTED BY

Typed or Printed Name **John R. Carr**

Signature

#### Complete (if applicable)

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# NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION

*Filing Date Granted*

An Application Number and Filing Date have been assigned to this application. The items indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a). If any of items 1 or 3 through 5 are indicated as missing, the SURCHARGE set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of ☐ \$65.00 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, or ☒ \$130.00 for a non-small entity, must also be timely submitted in reply to this NOTICE to avoid abandonment.

If all required items on this form are filed within the period set above, the total amount owed by applicant as a ☐ small entity (statement filed) ☒ non-small entity is \$ 2454.

☒ 1. The statutory basic filing fee is:

- ☒ missing.
- ☐ insufficient.

Applicant must submit \$ 760 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).

☒ 2. The following additional claims fees are due:

\$ 1062 for 59 total claims over 20.

\$ 702 for 9 independent claims over 3.

\$ \_\_\_\_\_ for multiple dependent claim surcharge.

Applicant must either submit the additional claim fees or cancel additional claims for which fees are due.

☒ 3. The oath or declaration:

- ☒ is missing or unsigned.
- ☐ does not cover the newly submitted items.

An oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, including residence information and identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date is required.

☐ 4. The signature(s) to the oath or declaration is/are by a person other than inventor or person qualified under 37 CFR 1.42, 1.43 or 1.47.

A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.

☐ 5. The signature of the following joint inventor(s) is missing from the oath or declaration:

An oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63 listing the names of all inventors and signed by the omitted inventor(s), identifying this application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.

☐ 6. A \$50.00 processing fee is required since your check was returned without payment (37 CFR 1.21(m)).

☐ 7. Your filing receipt was mailed in error because your check was returned without payment.

☐ 8. The application was filed in a language other than English.

Applicant must file a verified English translation of the application, the \$130.00 set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(k), unless previously submitted, and a statement that the translation is accurate (37 CFR 1.52(d)).

☐ 9. OTHER:

Direct the reply and any questions about this notice to "Attention: Box Missing Parts."

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